EIGHTY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2005 REGULAR SESSION

DAILY

TENTATIVE SENATE DEBATE CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 2005

SF 355 Bolkcom	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for an act relating to the creation of a task force to provide for the implementation of Medicare Part D and providing an effective date. (Formerly <u>SSB 1204</u> .) (Similar TO <u>SF 112</u> & <u>HF 586</u>)RETURNED TO THE CALENDAR 4/21/2005
SF 398 Connolly	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for An Act encouraging community investment in before and after school programs by allowing school districts to request additional allowable growth and providing for related matters. (Formerly <u>SSB</u> 1298.) (COMPANION TO <u>HF</u> 55)
SF 413 Connolly	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for an act relating to sales and use tax changes, excise taxes on rental of rooms and sleeping quarters, and the sale and use of construction equipment, and including an effective and retroactive applicability date provision. (Formerly <u>SSB 1310</u> .) (COMPANION TO <u>HF 878</u> - withdrawn)RETURNED TO THE CALENDAR 5/2/2005
SF 414 McCoy	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for an act providing for income tax credits for the cost of purchasing life insurance coverage by certain members of the national guard and the reserves, providing for death benefits for certain deceased members of the national guard and the reserves, making appropriations, and providing for effective and retroactive applicability dates. (Formerly SF 400.) (Similar TO HF 155)
SF 415 Dearden	A bill for an act relating to the direct deposit of wages paid by an employer, requiring a regular payday statement, and making a civil penalty applicable.
HF 222 Quirmbach	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for an act relating to the nonpartisan election of township officers. (Formerly <u>HF 29</u>)
HF 619 Larson	COMMITTEE BILL A bill for an act relating to persons convicted of criminal offenses requiring registration on the sex offender registry or requiring an additional indeterminate sentence, establishing a sex offender registry database task force, and providing penalties.

HF 644 Danielson COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to elections and voter registration by making certain corrective changes, prohibiting the processing of certain voter registration applications, allowing certain voter registrations to be submitted after the deadline, removing the requirement for separate entrances to buildings where polling places for more than one precinct are located, requiring names of candidates for nonpartisan office to be printed on the ballot in alphabetical order, relating to information printed on a certain portion of the ballot, modifying opening hours of the polls at certain elections, allowing the voter's declaration of eligibility to be printed on the election register, relating to the abstract of votes for county offices, relating to appointment of observers present when ballots are counted, allowing absentee voting at the commissioner's office for part of the day of the election for certain elections, modifying the time period during which a person may request an absentee ballot, requiring the registered voter's date of birth on the absentee ballot application, clarifying that certain confined persons may vote an absentee ballot in person at the commissioner's office, changing the deadline for challenging an absentee voter's qualifications, relating to persons nominated for city office by write-in votes, repealing the provisions declaring it unlawful for an absentee voter to fail to return the voter's absentee ballot, and including an applicability date provision. RETURNED TO THE CALENDAR 4/28/2005

HF 711 Ward COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to judicial branch procedures involving the appointment process of certain officers and judges and applications for further review at the appellate level, and providing for temporary delays in filling judgeships. (Similar TO SF 380)

HF 712 Rielly COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act allowing counties to share the services of certain elective county officers. (Formerly HF 232)

HF 740 Wood COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to the duties and responsibilities of school districts, area education agencies, and the department of education by expanding school district audit requirements, requiring the department to submit an achievement gap report, changing deadlines and adding reporting requirements related to dropout and dropout prevention programs, changing testing requirements for the issuance of high school equivalency diplomas, eliminating certain requirements for school district payments and settlements, authorizing school site sale revenues to be used for physical plant and equipment levy fund expenditures, allowing school districts to establish nonprofit entities or organizations, eliminating Code provisions related to extended school programs and evening and part-time schools, providing for changes to open enrollment requirements, deadlines, and authorizations, repealing a school district lawful fence requirement, providing for the confidentiality of records regarding a child receiving competent private instruction, eliminating a requirement that school bus drivers submit a certificate of physical fitness annually, expanding the penalties for school bus drivers in violation of Code requirements, and revising requirements for prior authorization and a certificate of need for local option and services tax for school infrastructure fund use, and including a retroactive applicability provision.

HF 808 COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to and making appropriations involving state government, including provisions affecting agriculture and natural resources. (Formerly HSB 276)

HF 810

Stewart

HF 835 Wieck

COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to the department of economic development, certain board of regents institutions, the department of workforce development, and the public employment relations board and related matters. (Formerly HSB 277) RETURNED TO THE CALENDAR 4/28/2005

COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to certain state departments, agencies, funds, and certain other entities, providing for regulatory authority, and other properly related matters, and providing an effective date. (Formerly HSB 278)

COMMITTEE BILL -- A bill for an act relating to the port authorities including providing for the establishment, control, and dissolution of port authorities and providing for certain powers, limitations, and requirements including issuing revenue bonds and pledge orders, charging fees, entering into contracts and agreements, employing persons and peace officers, and providing for the use of revenues and exemption from property taxes. (Formerly HF 733) (Formerly HF 425)

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